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LEON COUNTY PRESS THE CHEST FREE CPR TRAINING FOR THE COMMUNITY SATURDAY, MAY 14

Donald L. Tucker Civic Center
10 a.m. - 12 p.m.



Participants receive

- American Heart Association CPR Anytime Kit
- CPR Manikin ■ DVD and Educational Materials

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Created Equal: a CONVERSATION ABOUT RACE IN OUR ELECTIONS

THURSDAY, MAY 26 • 5:30 PM @ THE MOON

- Free and Open to the Public
- Dinner Will Be Provided

Join a conversation that examines how national and state-wide conversations on voting access and security impact our local community.

This year's annual Created Equal program will bring academics, community members and advocates together to look at both voter security and the right for all people to vote. The discussion will encourage residents to advocate for voter engagement among family, friends, and within our community.

► RSVP today at LeonCountyFL.gov/CreatedEqual



LEON COUNTY NEWS & EVENTS

#PlantWildflowers Continues through May 31

Explore pollination and the essential role pollinators play in the natural world with #PlantWildflowers events and resources at the Leon County Public Library through May 31. In-person events, displays, and exhibits as well as topical book lists and thought-provoking films give citizens the opportunity to learn more about wildflowers, birds, bees, insects, and gardening. Learn more at LeonCountyLibrary.org/PlantWildflowers.

Events Discuss Celebrating Life, Understanding Death

In partnership with the Tallahassee Senior Center Foundation, the Leon County Public Library's Celebrating Life, Understanding Death series features compassionate professionals who will speak about different aspects of death and dying. From religious, spiritual, and physiological practices associated with the care of the dying, to the more practical matters of funeral and will planning, to the tender ways in which we support those who grieve, attendees will engage in meaningful conversations about a journey we will all one day make. Learn more at LeonCountyLibrary.org.

County Launches Texting Program for Inspections

To better serve citizens, Leon County Government has launched Text-to-Inspect, a service from SelectTxt that allows contractors to utilize text messaging to schedule, reschedule, or cancel inspections and obtain inspection results on their Leon County building permits. Through the SelectTXT program, builders can find results for HVAC changeout, drywall, mechanical ductwork, and so much more. Learn more at LeonCountyFL.gov/DSEM.

Fertilizer Rain Delay Continues in May

The Fertilizer Rain Delay campaign reminds homeowners and professional fertilizer applicators not to apply fertilizer for at least one day ahead of forecasted heavy rain (1 inch or more in 24 hours). Check Leon County social media pages for a reminder to refrain from fertilizing whenever there is heavy rain in the forecast.

For more information, call (850) 606-5300

TALLAHASSEE-LEON COUNTY ARTS GUIDE

With events ranging from Art, Dance, Film, History & Heritage, Music, Theatre & Literature, and Workshops & Classes, the Tallahassee Arts Guide can help you and your family get connected with events, opportunities and arts education!

Visit TallahasseeArts.org for COCA's Calendar of Events
#TheArtsLiveHere | Council on Culture & Arts



Neighborhood Dinner & Conversation on Tackling Food Insecurity

Leon County Government, in partnership with America's Second Harvest of the Big Bend and the Children's Services Council of Leon County, is hosting community conversations about food insecurity and how to address this issue in our area. During each of these events, dinner will be made available by local restaurants, and interactive educational activities for children will be provided by the Leon County Public Library. Learn more at LeonCountyFL.gov/GetEngaged.

Board of County Commissioners Schedule May 2022

TUESDAY 10	3:00 p.m.	Board of County Commissioners Regular Meeting County Courthouse, 5th Floor Commission Chambers - 301 S. Monroe Street
TUESDAY 10	6:00 p.m.	Board of County Commissioners Public Hearing County Courthouse, 5th Floor Commission Chambers - 301 S. Monroe Street
TUESDAY 17	1:30 p.m.	Capital Region Transportation Planning Agency (CRTPA) City Hall, 2nd Floor Commission Chambers - 300 S. Adams St.
THURSDAY 19	1:00 p.m.	Blueprint Intergovernmental Agency Budget Workshop City Hall, 2nd Floor Commission Chambers - 300 S. Adams St.
THURSDAY 19	3:00 p.m.	Blueprint Intergovernmental Agency Regular Meeting City Hall, 2nd Floor Commission Chambers - 300 S. Adams St.

Live television broadcasts of Board of County Commissioners meetings are available on Comcast channel 16, the Leon County Florida channel on Roku, the County's Facebook page, YouTube channel, Twitter and LeonCountyFL.gov.